

**UPDATED FOR 2020 EXAMINATIONS**

**London** Friday 20 March 2020

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# GCSE FRENCH

## CONFERENCE FOCUS

This NEW conference will provide students with a motivational revision day, at which you will be given high quality advice, guidance and examples which will assist you to produce examination answers of the highest levels.

The conference is designed for students of all examination boards.

## KEYNOTE PRESENTERS

### Tim Guildford

Experienced teacher, examiner, trainer and school leader in the UK and abroad.

### Karine Harrington

Highly experienced teacher and subject leader, examiner and conference presenter.

### Ana Santos

Experienced teacher, presenter and senior examiner.

## BENEFITS

- Boost your students' performance in key areas of GCSE French
- Hear from conference speakers who will inspire your students
- Interactive, fast-paced day with student participation throughout
- Take home a full set of revision notes written by senior examiners
- Be inspired by an impressive, motivational and valuable session

PROGRAMME	TIME
<b>Quick-fire pronunciation practice</b>	10.30 – 10.40am
<b>Paper 2 – Tackling the picture-based tasks with confidence</b>	10.40 – 11.10am
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Explore how to get the most out of the stimulus card</li> <li>• Expert guidance on how to avoid nerves</li> <li>• Improving answers: work through examples to see what differentiates excellent answers</li> <li>• STUDENT ACTIVITY: Interactive pair-work photocard activity</li> </ul>	
<b>Paper 2 – the Role-plays</b>	11.10 – 11.40am
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How to stand out: tackling the role plays</li> <li>• Developing confidence: how to respond to questions / be spontaneous;</li> <li>• Listen to / watch examples that highlight the difference between levels</li> <li>• STUDENT ACTIVITY: Plan and produce a role-play: what would it score?</li> </ul>	
<b>Ask the examiners – your questions answered</b>	11.40 – 11.50am
Break – Submit your questions for the experts	11.50 – 12.10pm
<b>Translation – Grammar – Vocabulary</b>	12.10 – 12.40pm
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interactive Pair-work translation activities</li> <li>• Grammar pitfalls – what is wrong and why?</li> <li>• Active vocabulary learning : techniques that work</li> </ul>	
Lunch	12.40 – 1.10pm
<b>Question box</b>	1.10 – 1.20pm
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A prize is awarded for the best question</li> </ul>	
<b>Papers 1 and 3 – boosting French listening and reading skills</b>	1.20 – 1.50pm
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The shorter writing tasks: what the examiners expect to see</li> <li>• The extended writing tasks: what the examiners want and how to meet this</li> <li>• Using wide-ranging vocabulary to make your writing more interesting</li> <li>• STUDENT ACTIVITY: Which is the best? Student marking exercise</li> <li>• Complexity is the key – how to make writing better</li> </ul>	
<b>Paper 4: Developing your writing skills</b>	1.50 – 2.20pm
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The shorter writing tasks: what the examiners expect to see</li> <li>• The extended writing tasks: what the examiners want and how to meet this</li> <li>• Using wide-ranging vocabulary to make your writing more interesting</li> <li>• STUDENT ACTIVITY: Which is the best? Student marking exercise</li> <li>• Complexity is the key – how to make writing better</li> </ul>	
<b>Producing a great conversation in French</b>	2.20 – 2.50pm
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Top tips from the examiners, with student exercises to show these work</li> </ul>	
<b>Final Quiz and Top Tips</b>	2.50 – 3.00pm
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advice on how to best use revision tools, including the specification</li> <li>• A reminder of the key lessons and advice provided during the day</li> </ul>	

Lots of excellent advice – relevant points delivered clearly and helpfully. Great example answers which will be really useful.

Framingham Earl High School, April 2018

## A Level French

London 6 February 2020

Code: 7592

## A Level Spanish

London 13 March 2020

Code: 7593

## A Level German

to be confirmed

Code: 7591

## GCSE Spanish

London 6 March 2020

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## GCSE German

London 17 January 2020

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